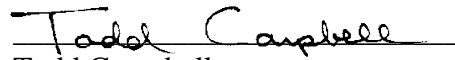


and until the conviction has been reversed or declared invalid by a state or federal tribunal reviewing the conviction. *See* Heck v. Humphrey, 114 S.Ct. 2364, 2372 (1994).

Because the defendant is cloaked with absolute immunity from liability, the plaintiff has failed to state a claim against the defendant for which relief can be granted. Under such circumstances, the Court is obliged to dismiss this action *sua sponte*. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(iii).

An appropriate order will be entered.


Todd Campbell
United States District Judge